

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 09952.0020-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Giuseppe COVINO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 4134  
Application No.: 10/568,688 ) Examiner: Hua Fan  
Filed: February 17, 2006 ) Confirmation No.: 2765  
For: SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE METHOD )  
AND COMPUTER PROGRAM )  
PRODUCT FOR MANAGING )  
TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORKS )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**VIA EFS-WEB**

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of March 18, 2008. A fee payment of \$1,050.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: September 17, 2008

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